



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

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MEMORANDUM FOR Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel  
(Civilian Personnel), Unit 29351, APO AE 09014

SUBJECT: Medical Standards/Screening for Emergency Essential  
Civilians (EEC)


1. Reference AEAGA-CM memorandum dated 24 MAY 93 and 27 OCT 93.
2. Medical fitness standards for Emergency Essential Civilians subject to mobilization and deployment are established as being the same as standards established for military personnel. These standards are contained in Chapter 6, AR 40-501 (encl 1), The Occupational Health Program and the current USAREUR Soldier Readiness Program (SRP).
3. Emergency Essential Civilian personnel should be identified and processed for readiness and deployment during unit soldier readiness/pre-deployment processing. Additionally, if a position is identified as an EEC position, it seems reasonable that a condition of employment would be to meet the medical fitness standards required for mobilization and deployment.
4. Procedures must be established for identifying and documenting EEC positions and personnel (appointing order, duty appointment, etc clearly reflecting the individual's name, grade, identification number, duty position and designation as EEC). Recommend the Civilian Personnel Division coordinate this action with commanders to establish the EEC identifying document. The identified EEC, his/her organization, and the civilian personnel office must be made aware of their responsibility to ensure the identifying document is on file and also presented when processing for mobilization and deployment or when making an appointment for a physical or any necessary follow-up screening. Without proper EEC identification, the medical and dental treatment facility cannot provide these no cost services.
5. When the EEC identifying document is established, medical and dental treatment facilities will be informed of the identifying authorization document, medical fitness standards for EECs and to provide medical/dental screening, without charge. This will include physicals, bloodtyping, dental exam and panoramic x-ray, required immunizations, spectacle inserts for protective masks, and DNA screening when the capability exists. These

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services will be limited to the specific standards for deployment  
and do not entitle the EEC to free elective care.

6. Point of contact is Mr. Jungwirth, DSN 370-2726.

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